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PATENT
IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF: SOKAWA, ET AL.

APPLICATION No.: 09/910,406

FILED: JULY 19, 2001

FOR: **COMPOSITIONS FOR TREATMENT AND METHOD OF
MONITORING HEPATITIS C VIRUS USING THE
INTERFERON-TAU**

EXAMINER: WORTMANN, DONNA C.

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Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

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Sir:

1. Transmitted herewith are the following:

- ☒ Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.111
- ☒ Petition for Two-Month Extension of Time
- ☐ Terminal Disclaimer
- ☐ Sequence Listing printout, floppy diskette, matching declaration
- ☐ Information Disclosure Statement, Form PTO-1449 (modified),
References
- ☒ Check in the amount of \$205.00.

2. Entity Status

- ☒ Small Entity Status (37 C.F.R. § 1.9 and § 1.27) has been established by a previously submitted Small Entity Statement.

3. Conditional Petition for Extension of Time:

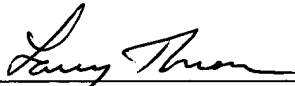
Applicant petitions for an Extension of Time, if necessary, for timely of this transmittal and enclosures.

4. Provisional Fee Authorization

Please charge any underpayment in fees for timely filing of this transmittal and enclosures to Deposit Account No. 50-2207.

Respectfully submitted,
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